

# Greenbelt News Review

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GREENBELT, MARYLAND

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Photo by Stan Klem

## Louise Tousignant Crowned Miss Greenbelt at Festival

At the twenty-third annual Miss Greenbelt Pageant, Louise Tousignant, a brown-eyed brunette, was selected "Miss Greenbelt 1977." Louise, sponsored by Greenbelt American Legion Post 136, was crowned by Katherine Braddock, the 1976 Miss Greenbelt.

Louise, the 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Tousignant, and a junior at Pallotti High, was selected by the panel of judges on Sunday evening, Sept. 4.

In addition to the title, Louise will receive a full scholarship from the Barbizon School of Modeling. This was presented by Barbizon's representative, Barbara Calin. Louise also received a glamour case from Fashion Two-Twenty.

Louise would like to attend Anshurst College in Connecticut to pursue a career in interior design or journalism.

### Runners Up

Several thousand persons attended the event at which the following contestants were selected as runners up: Meg O'Donnell, sponsored by Boxwood Civic Association, first; Anne Bistany, sponsored by Greenbelt Recreation Dept. "Miss Kava", second; Jan Dovel, sponsored by Springhill Lake Community, third; Michelle Frazier, sponsored by the Greenbelt Little League, fourth. "Miss Congeniality," selected by the girls was Penni Janisch, sponsored by the Greenbelt Convalescent Center. "Miss Photogenic", selected by a panel of photographers was Jan Dovel.

Persons who have been removed from the list of eligible registered voters because they have moved and failed to give notice of change of address, but who can certify to the city clerk that they have been domiciled continuously within the limits of the City of Greenbelt since the date of their original registration, and who otherwise meet all requirements to vote in city election, may request reinstatement in order to vote on September 20. Application may be made up to and including election day.

Reinstatement, however, can not be made for persons who were removed for failure to vote on two consecutive elections.

For further information please call the city clerk - 474-3870 or 474-8000.

Gudrun H. Mills, City Clerk

## Labor Day Festival Appreciation Party

The Festival is over, but the memories linger on. To show their appreciation to all those who worked so hard in the booths and the many special events, the Festival committee is having a party on Friday night, September 16, at 8:30 p.m. in the American Legion hall. A live band will entertain and pictures of this year's Festival will be shown. Anyone who participated in the Festival in any capacity is welcome to come and re-live a few happy, harried memories.

## STRING PLAYERS WANTED

The Greenbelt Chamber Orchestra members welcome any interested string players to join them in informal music-making on alternate Sunday afternoons during the fall from 3-5:30 p.m. in the multipurpose room of the Greenbelt Youth Center. The next four rehearsals will be held on Sept. 18, Oct. 2, 16, and 30. Additional information can be obtained from Catherine Kerst at 345-5989 in the evenings.

## COFFEE FOR PHILLIPS

There will be a coffee for city council candidate Robert Phillips at the home of Irene Hensel, 6 Orange Court, on Sat., Sept. 17 at 8 p.m. The community is invited. For further information, call Irene at 345-8630.

## DEMOCRATIC CLUB

On Friday, Sept. 16, the Roosevelt Democratic Club will meet at the Greenbriar Community Center. The guest speaker will be the honorable Francis Burch, Maryland's Attorney General. A light buffet, for which a donation is required, will follow the presentation.

## Scout Troop 746

All members of Scout Troop 746 are urged to attend the regular meeting on Friday, September 16 so that troop officers can be elected for the coming year. If most members attend, then a date for planning camp, in which the year's activities are planned, can be set.

## Greenbelt Water Wins

Greenbelt's drinking water captured first place in taste and tied for first in smell with Brand X from among 16 samples of suburban locations circling the Washington metropolitan area. The water sample from the city of Rockville won the highest ratings with a second in taste and a tie with three other samples for a second in smell. Brand X was well water from Montgomery County.

The informal contest was held at the August meeting of the local chapter of the National Institute of Planners.

## Garden Club News

by Ray Culvin

Family picnic! September 24, at 1 p.m. in Holly Springs Picnic area, Greenbelt Park! Bring cups, plates, silverware, serving spoon, and assigned vegetable, salad or dessert dish—lawn chairs if you wish. All the rest is supplied by the club. There will be games for young and middle age (23?).

Directions: Enter main entrance to Greenbelt Park (Greenbelt Road), left at stop sign and follow the signs.

Members are requested to notify their area captains by Sept. 19 as to number and ages of family members attending. On September 9, the club presented \$150.00 to the Greenbelt Boy's and Girl's Club. Most of this money was earned on our Labor Day weekend vegetable raffle. Thanks volunteers!

## POLLS OPEN TUESDAY FOR COUNCIL ELECTION; 1400 VOTERS EXPECTED

by Elaine Skolnik

About 1400 Greenbelters are expected to trek to the polls next Tuesday, September 20, to cast their votes for the five city council members who will head the municipal government for the next two years. A referendum question is also on the ballot, asking for the issuance by the city of general obligation bonds in the amount of \$75,000 for a fire station addition. The three polling places at the Greenbelt Youth Center (3rd precinct), North End Elementary School (6th precinct) and Springhill Lake Community Center (8th precinct) will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

All five incumbents are seeking re-election, Mayor Gil Weidenfeld and councilmen Richard Castaldi, Richard Pilski, Charles Schwan and Thomas X. White. Robert B. Phillips is the sixth candidate competing for a spot. Biographies of the candidates appear below.

### Referendum

The referendum question requests approval to authorize the city to issue \$75,000 in general obligation bonds which will mature in 25 years. This sum will pay the cost of construction for an addition to the fire station to supply additional bunk room facilities and office space. Construction costs, however, will not be charged to the taxpayers, since the city would be repaid by the fire department through a long-term rental agreement guaranteeing the bonds. The fire station is owned by the city and leased to the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad.

### Election Procedures

All council members are elected at large. In order for a candidate to be elected, he must receive 40 percent or more of the votes cast. If fewer than five candidates receive such a vote, a run-off election will be held one week later on Tuesday, September 27.

In a run-off election, the ballot will consist of those unsuccessful candidates receiving the highest number of votes, up to twice as many names as there are positions to be filled. Candidates polling the greatest number of votes are declared winners in the run-off election, regardless of the percentage of votes received.

The 40-percent requirement for election was introduced in 1967. Earlier a majority vote was required, usually resulting in run-off elections. Since 1967 no run-offs have taken place.

Each voter is entitled to vote for five candidates. Voting for fewer than five obviously increases the possibility of a run-off election.

### Registration Count

Some 2,661 Greenbelters are currently on the voter registration rolls down 12.8% from 1975. Only 48% of the registered voters cast ballots in 1975, with the highest percentages turning out at the Center (51%) and North End (55%) precincts.

This year the Center precinct, which includes new residents from

Greenbriar, Glen Oaks and Windsor Green, has 1,176 registered voters; the North End precinct, 1049 and Springhill Lake precinct 436.

If all five council members are elected on September 20, there will be an organizational meeting on Monday, September 26 at 7:30 p.m. (This meeting is set by charter.)

Upon being sworn in, the newly elected council members will choose the mayor. Although the charter is silent on this point, past councils have generally chosen the top vote-gatherer.

### Questionnaire

As in the past, the city staff has prepared an informal non-binding questionnaire which will be made available at the polling places and is published in this week's News Review.

### Biographies

#### Castaldi

Richard Castaldi was elected to city council in 1973. He is currently mayor pro-tem. He is 33 years old, married and the father of three children. He graduated from High Point High School and is now attending the University of Maryland, majoring in business administration. As a member of City Council, he served on the Council of Governments Transportation Planning Board and in addition was a member of the Human Resources Policy Board. He was appointed to the Prince Georges County Citizens Advisory Committee for the Community Block Grant Fund.

Castaldi has been employed for over fourteen years at the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission, where he is Acting Supervisor in charge of the Information and Permits Section. He served on the Board of Directors of the MNCPPC Credit Union and is President of the MNCPPC Employee's Fund.

He is a member of the Greenbelt Jaycees. He was awarded a certificate by the Commissioner of the Maryland State Department of Health after taking an advanced training program offered by American Public Housing Authority. He completed a management training course at Georgia Tech in 1972.

Castaldi, a second generation Greenbelt, is a member of GHI, and resides at 11 V Ridge Road. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Castaldi, residents of Greenbelt for over 38 years.

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## ABSENTEE VOTING

Section 7-4 of the Greenbelt City Code provides that citizens of Greenbelt who are qualified voters shall have the privilege of voting in municipal elections of the city by absentee ballot.

1. Applications shall be made in writing to the City Clerk for an Absentee Ballot no later than 12 o'clock noon of the day preceding the election — September 19, 1977.
2. All such ballots returned shall reach the office of the City Clerk not later than two hours before the closing of the polls on the day of election in order to be counted — 6:00 p.m., September 20, 1977.

Any qualified elector who would be prevented from voting in a municipal election by reason of religious beliefs, physical condition or absence from the city on the day of an election, shall be entitled to vote by Absentee Ballot.

Applications are to be addressed to the City Clerk, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland 20770.

Gudrun H. Mills  
City Clerk



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## Against Bullet Voting

Disappointingly, this year's city council race has only six candidates competing for the five council seats. These are the five incumbents and one relative newcomer to Greenbelt. We do not know whether this fact reflects a certain complacency, a lack of issues, or general apathy. Certainly the vigor and enthusiasm — and, indeed, controversy of past elections — are lacking in this one. This will probably be reflected in a low voter turn-out.

We hope however, that we are wrong. Council will be faced with a number of tough issues in the coming two years, the most important of which concerns the development of the Golden Triangle and the elusive Greenbelt Metro line. Each member elected to council needs to know that the citizens are behind him, that when he casts his vote he speaks for the majority of Greenbelters and not merely a handful who show up at the polls on September 20.

Because there are only six candidates in this race, one issue has emerged during these last few weeks. This is the question of who will be elected mayor. Traditionally the slot of mayor is filled by the person receiving the highest number of votes. The mayor of Greenbelt has the same powers other councilmen possess. However, he does become the spokesman for the council at the state and county level, as well as chairing the council meetings. He thus enjoys a place in the limelight not shared by other council members.

We feel that the position of mayor should indeed belong to whomever the majority of citizens endorse. For that reason we deplore the idea of "bullet" voting, voting for only one candidate in order to give that person the highest number of votes. This attempt to circumvent the system says, in effect, that the voters do not care who the other four members of council will be or that they wish to abrogate their choice to someone else. Admittedly, with only six candidates running, the voter's other four selections might be made for him anyway. However, a power struggle for the top position should not obliterate the fact that five people sit on the council and cast their votes equally.

We would also point out that if any of the candidates fail to receive forty per cent of the votes cast, a run-off is mandatory. And this would be an absurdity in a council race with only six candidates.

We urge the voter to cast a ballot for the total number of candidates he or she can honestly support; let's not turn this election into a narrow mayoral race.

## Tanya Ohlson

Tanya Ohlson, age 62, died on September 2 at the Medical College of Virginia Hospital. A resident of the Springhill Lake Apartments in Greenbelt for 13 years, she offered her time and talents with enthusiasm wherever she was needed.

Mrs. Ohlson served as a Republican election judge in general elections and was a judge and election clerk during many Greenbelt elections. She was a party hostess for the Golden Agers, Girl Scout Troop Organizer, Teen Party chaperone, and was active in civic affairs.

A graduate of Cornell University and the Katherine Gibbs secretarial school in New York, she worked for 10 years in the public school system of Huntington, N.Y.

Mrs. Ohlson is survived by her husband Franz Ohlson, Jr., a daughter, Nancy K. Ohlson of Washington, D.C. and a brother, Frederick Kent of Geneva, Switzerland.

Her family requests that expressions of sympathy be made to an endowment fund established in the memory of Tanya Kunitzky Ohlson, Class of '36, Cornell University, Raymond Handlan, Ithaca, New York, 14853.

## In Memory of Mrs. Ohlson

We are deeply saddened by the death of our lovely and dear friend Mrs. Tanya Ohlson. We offer our prayers and expressions of comfort to Tanya's husband Franz and her family. Tanya was a dedicated and tireless Girl Scout volunteer. She met everyone with a smile and an encouraging word. Words seem useless when it comes to expressing our love and admiration for Tanya. Her chair may be empty but our hearts will remain full of Tanya Ohlson.

The Girl Scouts of Greenbelt

## THANKS

To the Editor:

I am very proud to have received this distinct honor of Greenbelt Outstanding Citizen of 1977.

I wish to thank the committee for selecting me for this honor. I intend to continue my activities on behalf of the citizens.

Leo Gerton

## THANKS

To the Editor:

The Boys and Girls Club would like to sincerely thank the members of the Greenbelt Garden Club who, after spending a long hot summer working and worrying over their gardens, then picking the best of their vegetables and spending three days at the Labor Day Festival selling raffle tickets on these vegetables, donated the proceeds of this raffle to the Boys and Girls Club for the use of Greenbelt's youth.

This donation is even more appreciated when you think of the work and care needed on their gardens because of this year's extremely hot dry summer.

Pat Gainer  
Boys and Girls Club

## Camp Fire Girls

Camp Fire girls will be holding an organizational meeting for all parents of girls interested in being Camp Fire members on Tues., Sept. 20 at 8 p.m. in the Greenbelt Library. At the present time, there are 8 active groups in Greenbelt. The groups range from first graders through fifth graders.

Any adult interested in being a leader will be trained. All that is needed is a sense of humor and a love of children.

For further information call Brenda Cooley, 345-1388.

## MOWATT MEMORIAL

United Methodist Church

Church School 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Morning Worship 11 a.m.

## SERMON:

"Getting Down to Basics"

Rev. Charles I. Wallace, Sr.

Rev. Clifton D. Cunningham,

Pastor

474-3381 40 Ridge Rd. 474-0410

## Yom Kippur Services

Yom Kippur services conducted by Rabbi Kenneth Berger and Cantor Donald Weisman at the Mishkan Torah will start with Kol Nidre on Wed., Sept. 21 at 6:40 p.m. On Thurs., Sept. 22, services will start at 9 a.m. The Junior Congregation will meet at 10:30 a.m.

Rabbi Berger will lead a discussion on Yom Kippur, Fri., Sept. 16 at 8:30 p.m.

## BIOGRAPHIES CONT.

Phillips, Jr.

Robert J. Phillips, Jr., 131 Westway, #T-2, is 27 years old, married with two children. He grew up in Capitol Heights; graduated from Central Senior High, Seat Pleasant; and has his B.A. from the University of Maryland, with a major in Government and Politics and a minor in Chinese language. Phillips is a Viet Nam-era veteran, and is the founder and coordinator of the Asian Pacific Cultural Enrichment Society. During a 39-month stay in Taiwan, he was a radio broadcaster for the American Forces Network Taiwan, and taught English at Kungshan Air Force Academy at Kungshan.

Phillips loves the woods, and also writes poetry.

## Pilski

Richard Pilski served two-terms as Mayor with another four terms as councilman. Has been a resident of Greenbelt for 18 years. A native of Kingston, Pennsylvania, he lives in Boxwood Village with his wife, Claire, a registered nurse, and three children, Richard, Jr., 23, Nancy, 20, and, Chris, 14. He has been employed as tax representative and consultant for Prentice-Hall Inc. for the past 19 years.

Pilski attended King's College, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, and holds a B.S. degree in Business Administration from Syracuse University. He is a member of the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity. He also served three years in the United States Navy.

Pilski is on the National League of Cities' Transportation Committee. He served 4 years on the Council of Government's Board of Directors and the Energy Policy Committee, and now serves on the Public Safety Committee. Previously, Pilski has represented Greenbelt on the Prince Georges County Tax Differential Committee, the Executive Committee of the Maryland Municipal League, and the Environmental and Public Safety Committees of the Council of Governments.

Locally, he has served on the Charter Review and Advisory Planning Board Committees of the city; board of directors of Greenbelt Credit Union; Manager of Minor Leagues; and President of the Lakewood Citizens Association.

Pilski is currently active in the Greenbelt American Legion, the V.F.W. and serves as a citizen counselor to the Prince Georges Boy Scouts and to the Greenbelt troops. He is an instructor at Prince Georges Community College.

## Schwan

First elected to council in 1971 and re-elected in 1973 and 1975, Charles Schwan's prior service to the city includes his having been chairman of the committee which recommended setting up the Advisory Planning Board (1959-60), member, Charter Review Committee (1966-67), and chairman, Indoor Swimming Pool Committee (1971). During his tenure on council, Schwan has been a member of the Land Use Policy Committee, Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments. He served as a member of the Greenbelt Bicentennial Committee and now serves on the Advisory Committee on Housing for the Elderly.

A member of the Greenbelt Homes, Inc., Board of Directors from 1963 to 1971, Schwan served as president from 1964 to 1970. His other community activities have

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## GREENBELT COMMUNITY CHURCH

(United Church of Christ).

Hillside and Crescent Roads - Phone 474-6171 (mornings)

Nursery provided at 2B Hillside

Sun., 11 a.m. Worship Service and Church School

Rev. Sherry Taylor and Rev. Harry Taylor, co-pastors

Bad Memories? ? ? ?

Replace them with Good Memories !!!



## GREENBELT BAPTIST CHURCH

474-4212

Bible Study for all ages (Sun)

9:45 am

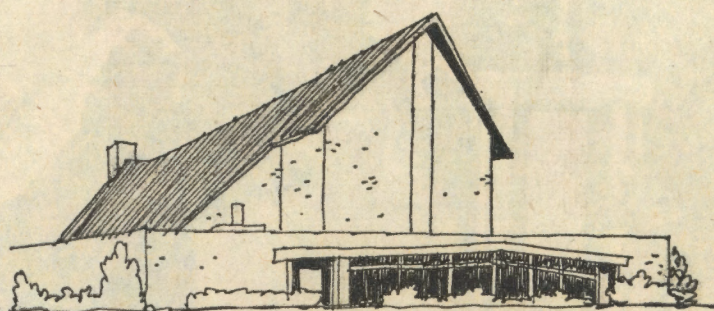
Sunday Worship

11:00 am &amp; 7:00 pm

Mid-week Program (Wed)

6:00 pm

For bus transportation, call church office 8:30-12:30 weekdays



## Holy Cross Lutheran Church

6905 Greenbelt Road

Worship Services: 8:30 and 11:15 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:50 a.m.

Weekday Nursery School: 9-11:30 a.m.

Edward H. Birner, Pastor

Phone 345-5111

## WHERE TO VOTE

## PRECINCT 3 - CENTER

Crescent Road (#1 - #135)

Eastway (#2)

Gardenway

Greenbelt Rd. Nursing Home

Greenbriar (Hanover &amp; Mandan Rd)

Lakecrest Drive

Lakeview Circle

Lakeside Drive

Maplewood Court

Olivewood Court

Parkway

Pinecrest Court

Ridge Road (#1-42; #44, 36, 48)

Southway Road

Westway Road

## PRECINCT 8 - SPRINGHILL LAKE

Breezewood Court

Breezewood Drive

Breezewood Terrace

Cherrywood Court

Cherrywood Lane

Cherrywood Terrace

Edmonston Court

Edmonston Road

Edmonston Terrace

Springhill Court

Springhill Drive

Springhill Lane

Springhill Terrace

## PRECINCT 6 - NORTH END

Eastway (#1, 3, 5)

Empire Place

Fayette Place

Forest Way

Greendale Place

Greenhill Road

Greenknolls Place

Greentree Place

Greenway Place

Hedgewood Drive

Hillside Road

Ivy Lane

Julian Court

Lastner Lane

Laurel Hill Road

Lynbrook Court

Northway

Orange Court

Periwinkle Court

Plateau Place

Research Road

Ridge Road (#43, 45, 47; 49-446)

Rosewood Drive

Tamarisk Court

White Birch Court

Woodland Way

## POLLING PRECINCTS:

3RD PRECINCT - YOUTH CENTER, MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM  
99 CENTERWAY6TH PRECINCT - NORTH END ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
RIDGE AND RESEARCH ROADS8TH PRECINCT - SPRINGHILL LAKE COMMUNITY CENTER  
6220 SPRINGHILL DRIVE



## RICHARD PILSKI

Native of Kingston, Pennsylvania . . . Greenbelt resident for 19 years . . . he and his wife, Claire, a Registered Nurse, have 3 children: Richard Jr. 22, Nancy 20, and Chris 14.

For the past 19 years employed as a Tax Representative and Consultant with Prentice-Hall, Inc. of New Jersey.

Attended King's College, Wilkes Barre, Pennsylvania . . . holds a B.S. Degree in Business Administration from Syracuse University.

Served three years in the United States Navy in World War II.



Richard Pilski

HE REPRESENTS ALL THE PEOPLE

## CIVIC SERVICE BACKGROUND

Board of Directors, Greenbelt Federal Credit Union  
Member St. Hugh's  
Greenbelt American Legion  
Chairman, Sons of the American Legion  
V.F.W. Free State Post  
Prince George's County Boy Scouts, Citizenship Counselor  
Counselor, Greenbelt Boy Scout Troop, 746  
Manager, Little League Minor League  
United Cerebral Palsy of Prince George's County  
Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity  
Syracuse University Alumni Association

## PUBLIC SERVICE BACKGROUND

**Greenbelt, Maryland**  
Greenbelt City Council — twelve years (6 consecutive terms)  
Mayor — four years  
Mayor Pro Tem — two years  
Council Member — eight years  
**Prince George's County, Maryland**  
Tax Differential Committee  
Charter Review Committee  
Faculty — Prince George Community College  
**State of Maryland**  
Executive Committee, Maryland Municipal League — two years  
Maryland State Transportation Committee  
**Washington Metropolitan Council of Governments**  
Board of Directors — four years  
Energy Policy Committee  
Metropolitan Transportation Planning Board  
Public Safety Committee — four years  
Environmental Committee — four years  
Executive Committee Representing Cities Less than 100,000 — two years  
National — Vice Chairman — Bi-Centennial Committee  
National League of Cities Transportation Committee

## I will continue to:

- Represent All the People
- Continue Fiscal Responsibility
- Oppose Undesirable Zoning & Development
- Preserve Greenbelt As A Planned Community
- Provide Safe Walkways, Bicycle Trails and Pedestrian Overpasses
- Provide Recreation Facilities & Programs For All Citizens — Regardless of Age
- Oppose Misuse of Pollutants & Soil Erosion
- Increase Recycling of Usable Material
- Take Advantage of Federal Aid Programs
- Make Use of The City's Advisory Boards

## RE-ELECT

# Richard (Dick) Pilski

# 2A

Authority: Bud Dean

**We support Richard Pilski for Council because of his proven record, ability, & concern for the citizens of Greenbelt.**

William Hoff  
Steve Polaschick  
Walsh Barcus Sr.  
Bill Feller  
Marge Feeney  
Paula Smith  
Ann Hoff  
Bob Dove  
Joe Comproni  
Jasper Sparks  
Elmer Janosko  
Leo Gerton  
Joan Lloyd  
Joe O'Brien  
Andy Winsky  
Henry Sacra  
Margaret Lundregan  
James Curran  
Rick Ransom  
Martin Anderson  
Marilyn Hirsch  
Larry White  
Judy Goldstein  
Helen Collins  
Lonnie Palmer  
H. Leibe  
Hugh Burns  
Cy Kovalchik  
Alice Kovalchik  
Tom Meredith  
Shirley Meredith  
Marvin Clute  
Eli Crupain  
George Holland  
Coach John Merricks  
Jean Merricks  
Edward Murray  
Joseph Brown  
Grady Kneeece  
June McEvoy  
Sally Barcus  
Patricia Cantwell  
Margaret Warfield  
Dick Davis  
Pat Davis  
Mrs. J. Karitas  
Barbara Feller  
Lucy Bryant  
Denise Hoppel  
Molly Burns

Peg McAndrew  
Margaret Perry  
Andy Keller  
Ann Keller  
Mel Comproni  
Mary Bransky  
John Beyrent  
Maryliss Beyrent  
John Patton  
Martha Patton  
Marie Weber  
Gerard Weber  
James Shaughnessey  
Connie Shaughnessey  
Greg Gigliatti  
Charles Link  
Mary O'Neil  
Earl Hampton  
Fran McNally  
Jim Wersick  
Marge Wersick  
Esther Perry  
Bob Siehl  
Tom McAndrew  
Dorothy Gonthier  
Alice Gonthier  
Barbara Drake  
George D'Esposito  
Jean D'Esposito  
Stella Hertel  
William Hertel  
Dorothy Eshbaugh  
George Eshbaugh  
Katherine Basinger  
Nick Pergola  
Vita Pergola  
Elsie Wolfe  
Margaret Grant  
Harry Grant  
Eleanor Moore  
Henry Moore  
Wayne Roberts  
Betty Roberts  
Cleo Meadows  
Ben Rosenzweig  
Betty Polaschik  
Joseph Karitas  
Leo Gerton  
Al Gieger  
Gene Kellaheer

Faye Sokol  
Bill Siegel  
Al Bistany  
Peg Sparks  
Irene Janosko  
Henry Fisher  
Harold Lloyd  
Edward Cook  
Hazel Sacra  
Ken Lundegan  
Andy Karkos  
Ann Curran  
Gene Stratchko  
Julie Stratchko  
Sanford Cornett  
Kathy Palmerton  
Allan Collins  
Mike McMahon  
Paul Rousseau  
Peg Leibe  
Al Sarni  
Ray Groht  
Shirley Donkis  
Bob Donkis  
Shirley Clute  
William Morrisson  
Beverly Izzo  
Kathryn Neiman  
Louise Hooper  
Dot Holland  
Selma Hammond  
Mary Cusik  
Linda White  
Helen Brown  
Deanne Peltin  
Walsh Barcus Jr.  
Charles Taylor  
Bill Hammond  
Shirley Dwyer  
Margaret McKenney  
Gil Wiser  
Marilyn Grossman  
Marie White  
Ernie Varda  
Austin Green  
Bill Hennessey  
Rose Hennessey  
Rudy Bransky  
George Matthews  
George Loutsche

Maree Loutsche  
George Cantwell  
Pat O'Brien  
J. Donald Wolfe  
Lucy Wolfe  
Marlene Matthews  
Edward Hilgenberg  
Josephine Smith  
Marie Reynolds  
Fred Ford  
Lee Fendlay  
John Boyd  
Ann Link  
Helen Siehl  
Peg McAndrew  
Ben Goldfaden  
Judith McCord  
Lou Cassidy  
Lorraine Nuzzo  
Al Nuzzo  
Nora Kelly  
Weldon Drake  
Ann Kosisky  
Joe McNally  
Elva Keys  
Ann McCord  
Joseph McCord  
Martin Haker  
Frances Haker  
Linda Lastner  
Walter Dean  
Ethel Rosenzweig  
Al Cousins  
Rev. K. Buker  
Mary Gieger  
Charles Sokol  
Charles Kendall  
Pat Martone  
Dick Allen  
John Holloman  
Lenny Grossman  
Joanne Kellaheer  
Paul Lovell  
Jean Cook  
Lucy Winsky  
A. K. Lefever  
Al Delfield  
Jane Kelleher  
Evelyn Feller  
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Ruth Dee  
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Pat Hand  
Marge Groht  
H. Thompson  
Tom Greer  
Patricia Greer  
Joseph Izzo  
Loretta Izzo  
Bill Hooper  
Terry O'Driscoll  
Jack Downs  
Dolores Downs  
"Rob" White  
Ann Hoff  
Ray Kneeece  
Hugh McEvoy  
Art McKenney  
Lillian O'Brien  
Tom Dwyer  
Rita Dean  
Joan Dicarlo  
Betty Devlin  
Mitchell Cooley  
Dot Varda  
Gertrude Hilgenberg  
David Berger  
Lana Berger  
Ben Goldfaden  
Ruth Waters  
Jack Waters  
Aida Bistany  
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# Outgoing Council Winds Up Term With Catch All Meeting

by Sandra Barnes

As I was given this assignment by my friendly editor, I was told, "Look up one of Bob McGee's stories and write something humorous" for this last-city-council-meeting-of-the-year-before-the-election story. Bob could always add that particularly irreverent stroke to a meeting which was all light and no substance.

But as I sat in my straight-backed chair, wondering how come the press doesn't warrant a table and a more comfortable chair for all those hours we put in (endure?), not a whimsy popped into my head. This turned out to be a meeting with a seemingly endless number of resolutions, petitions and business matters to tidy up before work begins anew with the next council. And, as usual, council members ended the evening by patting each other on the back, burying any grievances they may have harbored, and generally agreeing that theirs had been a most hard-working and constructive city council. Indeed, Councilman Richard Pilski noted how every council member he had ever known in his seven terms on council had been a dedicated person, reflecting the wisdom of the voters, no doubt.

The Rev. Kenneth Buker also congratulated council, adding however that he felt future councils could do an even better job "if you get inspired—excited about the many things you have yet to do."

## Buddy Attick to Retire

With regret, council received the news that the head of the Public Works Dept., Buddy Attick, will retire in October 1978 after forty years of service to the city of Greenbelt. Attick will then have reached age 65. Attick's letter to council, informing them of his decision, also expressed his enjoyment in working for Greenbelt from the time when it was being built by the federal government to the present. He has served under four city managers and numerous councils. Before joining the city work force at the age of 22, he lived on a farm near the present Greenbelt Junior High School. The farm burned in 1938.

## Metro Petition

Having received a copy of the petition signed by a number of Greenbelters who were dissatisfied with the current schedule of buses connecting to Metro at the Stadium-Armory, council agreed to write to the County Council and to the Washington Metropolitan area Transit Authority reflecting these grievances.

In particular, the group is seeking more rush-hour express buses from Greenbelt to run straight into the District of Columbia and more buses connecting from the Stadium-Armory to Greenbelt in the evening. Councilman Tom White noted that if a person left work downtown at 5 p.m. and took the Metro to Stadium-Armory station, he could not make the express buses; he then arrived home by local bus some two hours later. From the audience, Mat Amberg also complained about the lack of telephones, rest room facilities and police protection for those left standing on the platform in the evening, waiting for their buses. Council's letter will stress the need for safety precautions as well as additional express buses.

## Passed Unanimously . . .

Council unanimously passed the following: an ordinance requiring developers to construct streets 40 feet wide instead of 36 feet wide; a resolution to purchase pagers for the Greenbelt Fire Dept. to cost not more than \$7,587; a resolution transferring \$47,800 from a reserve account to the operating budget to provide for a salary increase for classified employees; a change in the by-laws of the Advisory Planning Board requiring that all their meetings be open to the public; a resolution to convert the Ridge Road Center property to an elderly housing facility and replace the space lost by acquiring 9.9 acres on Parcel 2; a resolution to begin condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of the acreage on parcel 2.

In addition, council agreed to subsidize the cost of the shuttle bus service from the Armory to the carnival area that was sponsored by the Labor Day Festival Committee. Council further stated that they would like to see the bus service continued next year and the route extended to include parts of North End, Boxwood, Greenbriar and Windsor Green.

Council approved the mural design depicting "Three Generations of Greenbelters" being painted on the Co-op wall under a grant from the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, Arts Division. The mural is to be extended to the entire width of the building and there will be more colors than are currently visible. It is expected to take three to four weeks for completion.

## Police Complaint

Council received a complaint from an irate citizen that Greenbelt police were ticketing cars on Greenbelt Road which were crossing over the solid white line and driving on the shoulder. The police had been notified of this problem by irate bicyclists driven off the shoulder by some motorists. Since Greenbelt Road is a state road, the city manager notified the department that Greenbelt police should not handle such traffic problems but should forward them to the State Police.

## Committee Reports

Reports on "Transit Needs Study for Greenbelt, Md." a study of an intra-city bus system, and a report

See COUNCIL, page 5, col. 2

Elect Robert B. Phillips, Jr. to Greenbelt City Council



## VOTE TUESDAY FOR BOB

### Bob Phillips stands for:

- District System of representation to city council (a system whereby the city is divided into five separate districts with each district electing its own member to the council and the Mayor elected At-large)
- Local mini-bus transportation for Senior Citizens and disabled persons and more City participation in cost-free Senior Citizen programs sponsored by the County
- Environmentally sound development with preservation of all Historical Landmarks.
- A change in the tax structure to allow for heavier taxes on new commercial interests and lower taxes for residents to offset the increased property assessments
- New blood, new ideas.

Exercise Your Right to Vote With the Right Vote,  
Elect Phillips to City Council

It's Time For A Change, Pull 4A On Election Day!

CALL: 345-3038

by authority of candidate

# Vote 838 on Sept. 20th

Once again the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad needs your help. On September 20, 1977 please vote for Ordinance 838.

Ordinance 838 is for a \$75,000 bond issue referendum, for a much needed addition to the fire station, and will be repaid to the City.

# PLEASE VOTE 838 ON SEPTEMBER 20



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### COUNCIL continued fr. p. 4

on Springhill Lake developers' plans for an elderly housing complex were held in abeyance for the next council to consider. A request for day care services for elementary school children was referred to the staff of Greenbelt CARES for comments.

A citizen's request for purchase of additional land on parcel I was discussed. No action was taken as most of this land is owned by the Board of Education, while other parts of it are in the flood plain. Should the school board divest itself of this property, council might be induced to take more serious action.

### Festival Photos

Photographs of the Labor Day Festival will be displayed at the Center Mall by the Post Office, this Saturday, Sept. 17 at 10 a.m.

### E. Roosevelt PTSA

The first meeting of the Eleanor Roosevelt PTSA will be held at the school on Tuesday, Sept. 20 at 8 p.m. Business will include a discussion of the Goals Committee report and assignment to committees.

### 1975 - 1977 RECORD:

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Local Jobs  
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Lower tax rate  
Tax rebate to Greenbelt**  
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it has effective leadership.  
**Re-elect Gil Weidenfeld**

—pd. ad by David Lange

### A Statement From

# CHARLES F. SCHWAN

The preservation of Greenbelt's character and quality of life has been the major issue facing our city for nearly two decades. Over the years the city has taken its fight to the county, to the State and, when appropriate, to the courts. Our batting average has been high, but the good fight must be continued as we confront today's pressing problems which include:

#### ● DEVELOPMENT OF THE GOLDEN TRIANGLE AND SPRINGHILL LAKE NORTH.

Both tracts are zoned for commercial use, the Triangle over the city's opposition — we took the case to court, but lost. Purchase of the Triangle appears to be out of the question. The cost would be not less than \$5 million. A bond issue for such a sum would mean that the current tax rate would have to be increased to at least \$1.71 from the current 99c. **Council must continue to take the lead — indeed must increase its efforts — to ensure that development does not impact our community adversely.**

#### ● TRAFFIC FLOW IN THE KENILWORTH AVENUE/GREENBELT ROAD AREA, PARTICULARLY AS ADJACENT AREAS ARE DEVELOPED.

At present, traffic at this intersection is horrendous, particularly rush hour traffic. Plans call for one road to run under the other, but they are years away from completion. **Traffic improvements should precede, not follow commercial development.**

#### ● INTERCONNECTION AMONG THE SEVERAL SECTIONS OF THE CITY.

Social and political integration of the city is impeded, if not made impossible, by multi-lane, divided highways (B-W Parkway, Beltway, Greenbelt Road, Kenilworth Avenue). They separate the city into seven distinct sections (Greenbriar and Eleanor Roosevelt High School, Windsor Green, "Old Greenbelt," Greenbelt Regional Park, Golden Triangle, Springhill Lake and Springhill Lake North). Ideally, one section should be connected to another by residential-type streets. **At an absolute minimum, we should have pedestrian and bicycle access over or under major highways.**

#### ● COMPLETION OF METRO TO A GREENBELT TERMINAL.

The answer to Metro's many problems is not to be found in eliminating some lines, including the Greenbelt Line. Doing so would mean no relief from pollution, no improvement in traffic movements, no reduction in fuel use and more urban sprawl. Moreover, completion at a later date would mean even higher costs. **The cost of not completing the system would exceed the cost of completing it.**

These are issues on which there appears to be a consensus in our community. Unfortunately, the power of decision lies in county, State and Federal agencies. However, the city can and must try to influence decisions in the interests of Greenbelt citizens.

During my 24 years in our community, my energies have been devoted toward preserving our unique environment — chairman of the committee which advised the city to create the Advisory Planning Board, member of the Steering Committee of Citizens for a Planned Greenbelt, President of Greenbelt Homes, Inc., and Member of Council.

# Re-elect Charles F. Schwan

ON SEPTEMBER 20

Authority: Darwin Beck, Treas.

## • AUCTION •

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1977  
SALE BY TED AND EDNA - 772-2474  
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**OAK:** Dresser; Round Table, Very Ornate w/Claw Feet; Library Table; 4 Press Back Chairs w/Cane Seat; Hall Tree; Mirror; Server; Washstand w/Rack; Floor Cabinet Sewing Machine; High Back Chair; Bookcase w/Double Glass Doors; Stacked Bookcase; also Folding Stack Bookcase. Bible or Dictionary Stand. **WALNUT:** China Cabinet; Dresser w/Mirror; Small Round Table; Organ Bench; Floor Ash Tray; High Back Carved Bed, 6'; Chest; Dresser w/Mirror; Smoking Stand; Kitchen Table w/Porcelain Top & Unusual Base. **MAHOGANY:** Bookcase Large Glass Door; Fern Stand; Dressing Table w/Mirror; Tier Table; Piecrust Table; Dresser; Clover Leaf Table w/Claw Feet; Show Case, Graduated Shelves, Mfd. by Columbus Show Case Co.; Carved Rocker & Chair w/Upholstered Seats. Cherry Table; Birdseye Maple Washstand w/Rack; Cedar Blanket Chest; Plank Bottom Youth Chair, Cherry & Pine; Chest, Pine; Set of Pine Chairs; Old Pine Wardrobe, Shingled Back, Hand Hued Panels in Door; Maple Rocker & Chair; Windsor Chair; Bentwood Chair; Foot Stool; Small Curio Cabinet; Towel Rack; Corner Shelf; Cradle; Wagon Wheel Coffee Table & End Table; Round Marble Top Table; Hall Trees; Wicker Rocker, Chair. Casablanca Fan Mfd. by Hunter, Memphis, Tenn.; Kellogg Wall Phone; Bronze Flatware, 144 pcs., 35 yrs. old; Crocks; Brass; Lamps; Silver Plate; Avon; Carriage Lamps; Farm Bell; 100 pcs. Depression Glass; Cut Crystal; Occupied Japan; Sleigh Bells; Brass Doll Bed. Many other items.

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### RE-ELECT

# Thomas X. White

## to Greenbelt City Council

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Norman Weyel	Josephine & Tom Grenchik
Bernie McGee	Doug Hawes
Marge & Andy Feeney	Alice & Joe Murray

I appreciate the support of the active community residents listed above. I regret not being able to contact all of my friends and supporters. If re-elected, I pledge to continue my efforts on behalf of all the citizens of Greenbelt.

Thomas X. White



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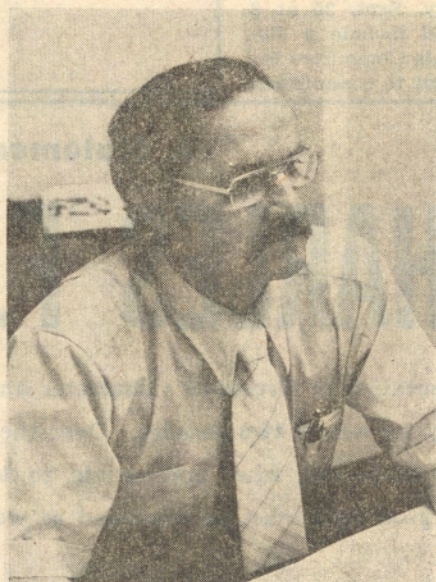
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**He Supports**

- **MORE OPEN GOVERNMENT**

Because of his belief that citizens should be involved in governmental affairs, he was instrumental in ensuring that Council work sessions are advertised; he has called for public hearings on major issues and has advocated more use of citizen advisory bodies.

- **ELDERLY HOUSING FACILITY**

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- **MUNICIPAL BUILDING ADDITION**

As a result of his suggestions, the city has been able to take advantage of the Economic Development Administration Grant Program. An excellently prepared grant application by the city staff resulted in a successful award amounting to over \$270,000 benefiting Greenbelt taxpayers

- **BIKEWAYS, PEDESTRIAN PATHS**

This system is now beginning to show results through the major work started on the Crescent Rd. path this year.

- **ROAD IMPROVEMENTS**

Early completion of Ridge Rd. improvements is a high priority item in this area.

- **LAND ACQUISITION**

The strategic acquisition of buffer strips in Northeast Parcel no. 1 has been promoted by him to safeguard Greenbelt's environment. Obtaining maximum utility of available city funds for other strategic buffer parcels is essential.

**HE WILL CONTINUE STRONG SUPPORT FOR**

- **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION FOR GREENBELT**
- **BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN PATHWAYS THROUGHOUT THE CITY**
- **RESPONSIBLE AND REALISTIC CITY BUDGET**
- **NEEDED ROADWAY MAINTENANCE**
- **PLAYGROUND AND PARK MAINTENANCE**

**MAKE YOUR VOTE COUNT ON SEPTEMBER 20, 1977**

Auth: Cand.

**\$75,000 BOND ISSUE REFERENDUM  
FOR FIRE STATION ADDITION**

At the request of the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad, Inc., the City Council is proposing to issue up to \$75,000 in bonds to finance the construction of an addition to the Greenbelt Fire Station. This bond issue should not affect city tax needs as the Fire Department has agreed to pay the cost of repaying the money borrowed plus interest expenses.

**The Fire Station**

The city built and owns the fire station building. It originally was leased to the Fire Department for \$10.00 a year. However, in 1969 bonds were sold for the construction of an addition to provide for a social hall. Since then the Fire Department has paid sufficient rent to pay the cost of debt service on this addition. Now the Fire Department would like to see a smaller addition constructed to provide additional bunk room space and office space. (Some volunteers sleep in at the station each night in order to reduce the need to sound the siren to call volunteers for ambulance calls and to provide faster response.) Again, the Fire Department has agreed to pay sufficient rent to pay the cost of debt service for this new addition. The Fire Department is supported by funds received from Prince George's County and from various fund raising activities it conducts.

**Ordinance Number 838**

This ordinance authorizes the bond issue, subject to voter approval at referendum. Bonds sold may not exceed \$75,000. The money can be borrowed for not more than 25 years. The proceeds of the bond sale are to be used only for paying the cost of a fire station addition, the expenses involved in selling the bonds, and — if any money is left over — for repaying the money borrowed.

The ordinance requires the city to enter into a revised lease with the Fire Department prior to selling the bonds, with the lease providing rent sufficient to pay the debt service on the bonds. Therefore, this bond issue should not be a tax burden on the city. However, the full faith and credit of the city will be pledged to repay the bonds, and — in the unlikely event the Fire Department fails to pay its rent — the city would have to pay for the cost of debt service from other funds. Of course, the city will still own the building which is a valuable asset worth far more than the outstanding debt.

**Why Doesn't the Fire Department Borrow the Money?**

First of all, the building is owned by the city. For the Fire Department to borrow the money it would have to mortgage a building it doesn't own. Second, the city as a municipal corporation with taxing authority can sell bonds for a much lower rate of interest than can the Fire Department thereby reducing the cost of borrowing funds.

**Why a Bond Referendum?**

The City Charter requires that before a bond issue of the kind provided by Ordinance No. 838 can be authorized, it must be approved by a majority of the voters at a referendum election.

**Will this Issue Affect the City's Ability to Borrow Funds for Other Purposes?**

As of September 1, the city has \$1,030,500 in outstanding bonds payable until 1990. Our Charter limits the total bonded debt to not more than 10% of assessed valuation. Presently, this limit would amount to \$8,608,613, and the city could borrow an additional \$7,503,113 besides the \$75,000 bond issue proposed for the fire station construction. It is unlikely that the city would ever consider borrowing that much money as the additional tax burden that would be imposed on the residents would be more than the City Council or the voters at referendum would be willing to accept.

**NOTE:** A copy of Ordinance No. 838 may be obtained at the office of the City Clerk at the City Offices, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland. For further information concerning this referendum, please contact either the City Clerk, the City Manager, or the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad, Inc.

This statement has been prepared by the city staff in order to provide the voters with information concerning the referendum question.



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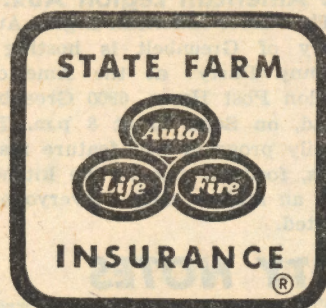
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## Explorer Post 746

The Explorer Post 746 is in the process of being rechartered through its sponsor, the Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church. Anyone interested in joining should call Tom Hanyok during the evening at 345-1146. Adults interested in volunteering to serve as advisors should call Committee Chairman Carl Boushell at 474-2107.

## La Leche Meeting

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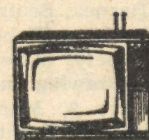
## Greenbelt Homemakers

The Greenbelt Homemakers' Club will hold their first fall meeting at 8 p.m., Wed., Sept. 21, at the home of Fran Crisman.

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### SPECIMEN BALLOT

<b>Write-In Candidates</b>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 60px; width: 100%;"></div>					
<b>QUESTION</b>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <b>FOR</b> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <b>AGAINST</b> </div> </div>		Shall bonds in the amount of seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000) be issued by the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, secured by its full faith and credit, in and for the said city for the purpose of funding the cost of constructing an addition to the Greenbelt Fire Station, as authorized and provided by City of Greenbelt Ordinance Number 838?			
<b>OFFICES</b>	<b>COUNCILMEN</b> VOTE FOR FIVE					
<b>CANDIDATES</b>	<div style="text-align: center;">  2A RICHARD R. PILSKI                 </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  3A GIL WEIDENFELD                 </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  4A ROBERT B. PHILLIPS, JR.                 </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  5A THOMAS X. WHITE                 </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  6A CHARLES F. SCHWAN, JR.                 </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  7A RICHARD J. CASTALDI                 </div>

### DIRECTIONS FOR VOTING

To Close Curtains

1. Move large red handled lever to right until bell rings and curtains close. Do not touch this handle again until you are ready to leave.
2. For Councilman: Turn down lever over the name of candidate you wish to vote for. You can vote for only five candidates. Leave the levers down.
3. Write In: You may vote for someone not on the ballot by raising the slide door designated for Write-In Candidates and writing the name or names on the paper tape exposed. Do not write in the name of a candidate on the ballot. Once a Write-In slot is opened you cannot vote for a listed candidate in the same contest.
4. Referendum: Turn down lever over either the "For or Against" labels next to the question. Leave lever down.
5. Corrections: If you wish to change a vote after you have turned a lever down, simply move the lever back to its original position and turn down over your new selection.
6. Record Vote: Upon making all selections, move large handled lever to left as far as it will go. Your vote will be registered, all levers will return to their original position, and the curtains will open.
7. Remember: Once the red handled lever is moved to left, your vote is cast and you can no longer make any changes in your vote.



## Festival Art Winners . . .

The following are winners in the various categories in the Festival art show:

Children, pre-school to 6 yrs.: Drawing and Prints—first, Erin Harpe. Painting—first, Molly Ahearn, second, Jamie Dobbin, third, Aimee Heller and Joey Dobbin; Mixed Media and Collage—1, Sonja Johnson; 2, Rachel Foster; Sculpture and Crafts — 1, Becky Williams, 2, Rachel Foster.

Also, children, 7-11 yrs.: Drawing and Prints — 1, Dan Sutherland, 2, John Cameron, and 3, Paul Miller. Painting — 1, Sandra Jones, 2, Ellen Golembe. Mixed Media and Collage — 1, David Barnes; Sculpture and Crafts — 1, Helen Webb, 2, Mark Neupert; 3, Cheryl Miller.

Children, 12-17 yrs.: Drawing and Prints—1, Bob Bodner; 2, Mark Henry; 3, Diane Turkiewicz; Painting—1, Mark Henry; 2, Mark Henry; 3, Billy Orton; Sculpture and Crafts — 1, Laura Karlander, 2, Richard Bray, 3, Terry Brooks.

The adult winners are as follows: Best in Show, Alice Plaster; Drawing — 1, Laine Oertel, 2, Elinore Behr, 3, Sandra Kilpatrick; Painting — 1, Alice Plaster, 2, Patricia Weiss, 3, Alice Plaster; Mixed Media and Collage — 1, Holly Geller, 2, Elinore Behr, 3, Peter Evanovsky. Prints — 1, Alice Plaster, 2, Neil Harpe, 3, Neil Harpe; Sculpture and Ceramics—1, Nancy Neupert; 2, Charles Behr; 3, Iaine Oertel.

## Recreation Review

Co-recreational volleyball is played at Center School. Competitive volleyball is held Mon. eves. from 8:30-10:30 p.m. for interested persons 16 years and over. Also, from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m. on Wed., those 16 years and over are invited to participate in recreational volleyball games. Everyone is welcome.

### Class Openings

There are still openings in many Fall Recreation Classes which will not begin until the week of September 26. Among some of the classes are Yoga, Slimnastics, Sign Language, Trampoline, Tumbling, Dance, Dramatics, Whittling and others. 474-6878.

### Roller Skating

Roller Skating is being held at the Greenbelt Center Elementary Gymnasium from 4:30 - 6 p.m. on the following days: Wed., Grades 1-3 and Fri., Grades 4-6. A nominal fee will be charged at the door.

### 1977/78 Winter Swim News

The Greenbelt Winter Swim program will begin on Sun., Oct. 2, 6:30 p.m. at the Silver Spring YMCA Pool. Swimming will be from 6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m. each Sunday, excluding holiday weekends, through May 14, 1978. For further information and sign-up, call Gail Gardes, 474-5216.

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## Greenbelt's Library

Roots: The Saga of a Black American Family will continue as the feature of the Film Program on Tuesdays. Part III-The Escape will be shown on Sept. 20 at 7:30 p.m. in the Meeting Room.

## Yard Sale For Symphony

The Greenbelt Friends of the Prince Georges Philharmonic (formerly the Prince Georges Symphony) is sponsoring a yard/garage/basement sale on Oct. 1 and 2 at 25 Lakeside Drive.

A wide variety of items including skis, electric grills, furniture and household items have been donated by orchestra members and supporters. Funds raised will enable the orchestra to continue its free performances throughout the county. For further information call 474-6443.

The first performance of the Philharmonic, conducted by Emerson Head, will be on November 5 at the Prince Georges Community College.

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## Jr. American Legion Aux.

The Junior American Legion Auxiliary of Greenbelt is hosting a "Penny Party" at the American Legion Post Home, 6900 Greenbelt Road, on Sept. 23 at 8 p.m. The family program will feature many gifts, food on sale in the kitchen, and an afghan raffle. Everyone is invited.

## CITY NOTES

The general crew spent a great deal of time working on the Labor Day Festival details and several members of the crew worked over the weekend.



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**RICHARD J. CASTALDI** — Incumbent and native of Greenbelt, with roots deep in this community, he is a professional in urban planning whose considerable expertise will continue to be a reliable guide for this city's decision-making.

*Theirs is a rich tradition of wholesome commitment to our city. Their integrity and ability will continue serving Greenbelt well. Honest.*

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**GIL WEIDENFELD**

**GREENBELT  
CITY COUNCIL**

**SEPTEMBER 20**

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### A MESSAGE TO GREENBELT RESIDENTS FROM MAYOR GIL WEIDENFELD

Greenbelt is the third largest city in Prince George's County and the tenth largest in the State and, therefore, should exercise a leadership position on County and State levels. This leadership is needed to get and keep Greenbelt's problems before County and State legislators.

I believe that one of Greenbelt's major problems is tax inequity. Not only are our property taxes too high, but, in addition, Greenbelt's citizens are not getting a fair distribution of the income taxes they pay to the County and the State.

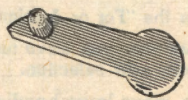
During the past four years, I have been very active in County and State municipal organizations working for Greenbelt. As a result of my active concern, I was elected president in 1976 of the Prince George's Municipal Association and in 1977 to the Board of Directors of the Maryland Municipal League (MML), a state-wide municipal organization. In these roles, I have been able to promote Greenbelt's interests on the County and State levels. I have been in the forefront of the successful efforts of these organizations in getting County and State legislation passed that will provide some tax relief for Greenbelters. However, much more needs to be done. Even at this time of the summer, I have been attending meetings with the Board of Directors and the Legislative Action Committee of the MML to formulate proposed legislation for tax relief.

While these meetings are a heavy burden on my time, they do not reduce my total effort on other problems the City faces. Indeed, during my six years on the City Council, I have never missed a single meeting. Also, my door and phone are always open to receive your comments and complaints. The many residents who have contacted me know that I have been responsive to their concerns and have always made an immediate effort to take action on their problems. In addition, I have often taken time off from my regular job to represent the City or to be present at hearings or special meetings with County, State or Federal officials.

I have worked hard toward making Greenbelt a better community and having Greenbelt recognized as a leader on County and State levels. Now I need your help to continue this work and I ask for your support on September 20 for a good Greenbelt government and a better tax break for Greenbelters.

Sincerely,

*Gil Weidenfeld*



**Pull Lever 3A for Gil Weidenfeld**

Authority of J. V. Mulvihill, Treasurer



# Registered Voters Interviewed During Labor Day Festival

by Barbara Likowski

"The most interesting thing about the election is the lack of interest in it," according to one Greenbelt citizen who was interviewed by a News Review reporter at the Labor Day Festival. Although several other Greenbelters agreed with this man, reporters found that the largest number of those queried were concerned with the Golden (Greenbelt) Triangle, the quality of life in Greenbelt, development and land use, the traffic situation and the Greenbelt Lake Park.

Because the News Review survey was not done scientifically, the results gleaned by reporters cannot be taken as a true picture of the way citizens in the city feel about the issues mentioned. However, it does show concerns some Greenbelters have about their city. Between 50 and 60 Greenbelters were questioned as they attended the festival. Only those who professed to be registered to vote in the city elections were interviewed. The reporters attempted to query people from different areas of the city and from different age groups. Unfortunately few younger people (18-early 20's) were interviewed because of the inability of reporters to meet registered voters in this age group. Those questioned were asked what they thought were the most important issues in Greenbelt today and what would be issues in the future. Their answers do not reflect the opinions of the News Review staff.

## Golden Triangle

About 40% of those questioned were concerned with the Golden Triangle, the commercial aspects of the proposed building on it as well as the traffic congestion that many feared would result from the added number of vehicles using the intersection at Greenbelt Rd.-Kenilworth Ave. Others mentioned traffic problems in the city itself which they felt would be generated by those people who did not want to risk using the Greenbelt Rd.-Kenilworth intersection and also traffic problems resulting from the traffic overflow from other development in the area. One citizen pointed out the potential pollution problem that could occur, saying that he and his family tried to eat well, get enough sleep, etc., but had no control over the air they breathed. Two others reacted to the traffic situation with a hope that a safe way could be found for people to walk to Eleanor Roosevelt Senior High School. One man would like the police to keep skateboarders off the streets.

Besides development on the Golden Triangle, other development and land use in the area were cited by 27% of those answering as being major problems. A few mentioned keeping it green.

## Quality of Life

The quality of life in Greenbelt was of primary importance to about 35% of those interviewed with people wanting to keep the "homey" atmosphere and "community" feeling of the city. One saying, "I love it." Several were concerned about finding ways to integrate the newer sections of the city and binding the different sections together into a community. Other concerns mentioned were: keeping it possible for people to walk around the city, that is, including planning for walkways in all new building programs; working towards and planning for the elimination of discrimination of those of different races, and, one woman wanted a definite policy about housing discrimination against those people who choose to live together, though not married to one another. Only one woman disliked the idea that people lived so close together and were, she felt, so isolated from Washington. She planned to move.

## Lake Park

Although only about 15% of those asked mentioned the lake park as a major concern, those who talked about the park generally tended to have strong feelings about it. Parking at the lake was seen to be a continuing problem, as was overuse and lack of proper maintenance. One woman advocated charging non-residents for parking on weekends as she said she had discovered that non-county residents had to pay at regional parks on weekends.

## Apathy

If the number of people who seemed not interested or could not note a major issue were added to those who cited voter apathy and

those who felt there was poor communication between the city and voters - that would amount to about 30% of those interviewed

Some of those concerned about Greenbelt did not see their concerns as being actual election issues.

There are a few voters who felt that communications between the city and citizens was not good. One man said, "We feel so helpless." A couple noted that in other years candidates came to their door & discussed issues, so far this year none had come. One man even suggested that the city communicate directly with citizens and not leave it up to the News Review. He

felt that the News Review did not do it alone. Another said we should give enough information

## Council

There were some indications that people felt council was doing a good job (about 8%) but as one woman put it, "There's always room for improvement" A man pointed out that being on council was a part time job and we got what we paid for. He added quickly that he was pleased with council and thought they did well. A positive suggestion from one woman advocated that the election be used to educate voters, get across to them that it's up to us (citizens) to go down to County Council (to protest overdevelopment, etc), that city council couldn't

get someone on council "who knows what the people want." Still another remarked that he would like to see other areas of the city represented on council. (He suggested for example, a ticket containing 2 from GHI, 2 from Springhill Lake and 1 from University Square.)

## Misc.

Other areas of concern were parkland ranging from more, to all we can get, to none (better maintenance of what we have); elderly housing; subway to Greenbelt; and a concern with youth and use of drugs. (Also contributing to this story was Mary Lou Williamson).

# Information Questionnaire, City of Greenbelt

At the September 20, 1977 regular council election, voters will be asked to complete the following questionnaire. Persons wishing to complete the questionnaire at home, including those not voting, may answer the questions and deposit the clipping from this paper either at the polls or at the city offices, or mail it to the city offices, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland 20770.

## 1. Residency

Where do you live?

- Apartment (Rental) .....
- Condominium .....
- Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI) .....
- Free-standing single family home .....

## 2. Governments and Services

Please rate the following:

E-Excellent G-Good F-Fair P-Poor

E G F P

U.S. Federal Government .....

Maryland State Government .....

Prince George's County Government .....

Greenbelt City Government .....

Police Protection .....

Street Maintenance .....

Street Lighting .....

Refuse Collection .....

Park Maintenance .....

Playground Maintenance .....

Youth Counseling .....

Recreation Programs for .....

Pre-Teen Children .....

Teenagers .....

Young Adults .....

Adults .....

Golden Agers .....

Males .....

Females .....

Animal Control .....

Recycling .....

Fire and Rescue Service .....

Bus Service .....

METRO (Rapid Rail Subway System) .....

## 3. Construction of METRO (Rapid Rail Transit)

Portions of the Metro system are now operating. However, there are many people who question whether the entire 98-mile system should be built. One line in jeopardy is the line to Greenbelt. Some people propose terminating it at Prince George's Plaza or Fort Totten. The State Highway Administration is pressuring for it to be relocated to end at I-95 and the Beltway. Increased construction costs and estimates of greater operating deficits will necessitate Prince George's County and other local governments increasing their contributions to Metro unless additional funds from new taxes, the State or Federal Government are obtained. Some people advocate increasing the gasoline tax or allocating part of the existing tax for funding Metro.

Please express your opinion about the following statements:

a. I now use Metro regularly Yes No

b. I expect to use Metro regularly when completed Yes No

c. Additional funds should be raised to complete the Metro system Agree Disagree

d. A portion of the gasoline tax should be used to help finance Metro Agree Disagree

e. Metro should be constructed to terminate between Greenbelt Road and the Beltway near the B&O tracks as is now planned Agree Disagree

f. Instead of the original plan, Metro should be constructed to I-95 at the Beltway Agree Disagree

g. Instead of constructing Metro to Greenbelt, commuter rail service on the B&O should be improved Agree Disagree

h. Instead of constructing Metro, better bus service should be provided Agree Disagree

i. Instead of constructing Metro, additional highway construction should be undertaken Agree Disagree

## 4. Additional Services

New development, possible grants and increased state and federal aid may provide the city with increased funds in the future over those required for present services. If such a favorable financial condition did occur, which of the following expenditure proposals would you favor receiving priority consideration?

(Check one or more)

- ..... Increased police force
- ..... Street improvements
- ..... Sidewalk-pathway improvements
- ..... Bikeway construction
- ..... Pedestrian overpass across Baltimore-Washington Parkway
- ..... Pedestrian overpass across Beltway
- ..... More outdoor tennis courts
- ..... Indoor tennis courts
- ..... Handball courts
- ..... Racquet ball courts
- ..... Indoor swimming pool
- ..... Ice skating rink
- ..... Major renovation of existing playgrounds
- ..... Major renovation of existing ballfields
- ..... Additional football field
- ..... Additional soccer field
- ..... Additional softball field
- ..... Additional baseball field
- ..... Parkland acquisition
- ..... Improvement to Lake Park
- ..... Other parkland development
- ..... Shuttle bus within the city or to nearby points
- ..... Child day-care services
- ..... Additional services to the elderly
- ..... Counseling and other assistance to all persons in need of help
- ..... None of the above



## BIOGRAPHIES CONTINUED

included his being a member of the Steering Committee, Citizens for a Planned Greenbelt; co-chairman, Greenbelt Freedom of the Press Committee; and chairman, GHI Advisory Committee on Housing for the Elderly.

Schwan received an A.B. degree from Hiram College, and did graduate work in political science at Syracuse University. There he was variously a Graduate Teaching Assistant, Fellow, and Instructor in the Maxwell School. He served in World War II until discharged a captain in 1945. He was Washington Representative of the Council of State Governments from 1952 to 1962, when he became Director of the Council's Washington office.

At various times during these years he served as principal staff aide to the National Governors Conference on intergovernmental aspects of roads and highway safety, corporation taxation, natural resources and environmental health. In 1968, he became a partner in Wendell and Schwan, Consultants on Governmental Affairs. The following year he joined with others to form Environments for Tomorrow, Inc., a consulting firm organized to assist public and private entities in meeting environmental requirements. In February 1973 Schwan retired from both of the firms.

Schwan is a member of the National Committee on Uniform Traffic Laws and Ordinances; former member of the Advisory Council on Police Training, International Association of Chiefs of Police; and Advisory Committee on Air Pollution Control Grants, U. S. Public Health Service.

Schwan participated in drafting the Water Resources Planning Act, and the Multistate Tax Compact. He is the author of articles and reports on federal-state relations, federal grant-in-aid requirements, multi-state taxation, highway safety, and radiation protection.

Schwan has resided in Greenbelt for 24 years, first at 7-A Crescent and, since May, at 20 T Hillside. He has three children: two, one of whom is married, reside in Greenbelt, the third lives with his wife and three children in Lanham.

### Weidenfeld

A graduate engineer and an attorney, Gil Weidenfeld has served for six years on the City Council and is presently completing his first two-year term as Greenbelt's Mayor. Weidenfeld is the immediate past president of the Prince Georges Municipal Association (PGMA) and the Chairman of the Association's Tax Differential Committee. He was recognized by the PGMA as the Outstanding Municipal Official of Prince Georges County for 1976-1977. Weidenfeld was recently elected to the Board of Directors of the Maryland Municipal League and also serves on the League's Legislative Action Committee. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Washington Metropolitan Area Council of Governments.

Weidenfeld is a Patent Examiner for the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and has earned numerous governmental awards for superior performance, special achievement, and work of outstanding quality.

In 1969, Weidenfeld earned a law degree, Doctor of Jurisprudence, from Catholic University in Washington, D.C., added to a 1960 degree in Engineering from Rutgers University in New Jersey. He is a member of the Maryland Bar and the United States Supreme Court Bar.

Weidenfeld, a 12 year Greenbelt resident, lived in Springhill Lake for eight years prior to moving to Boxwood Village in 1973. His wife Muriel has served on the Maryland Commission on Human Relations for the past two years and she is also active in numerous Greenbelt organizations. The Weidenfelds have two children: Sharon, 15, and Ellen, 13.

### White

Thomas X. White, age 42, is a lifelong resident of the Washington Metropolitan area. He has lived in Greenbelt since 1959, residing at 8 Woodland Way with his wife, Helen, and their seven children, ages 4 through 20. He was educated in the parochial school system in Washington, D.C., graduating from Gonzaga High School in 1953.

He served five years in the U.S.

Navy as a Medical Hospital Corpsman. He remains associated with the U.S. Navy Medical Dept. as an active Naval Reservist attached to 2nd Marine Division Medical Hdqtrs #106 UNSRTC, Adelphi, Md.

After his active duty, White enrolled at the University of Md. and graduated in 1962 with a B.S. in Microbiology. He has attended graduate school at the Univ. of Md. and George Washington Univ. where he is completing requirements for a Masters Degree in Business Administration.

He is employed with the Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association as a professional staff member of their medical device and diagnostic product division.

White has long been active in community affairs. From 1965 through 1973 he served on various committees within the GHI housing cooperative, including the Audit Committee, Finance Committee,

board member and treasurer.

White has served in the Greenbelt Jaycees, Citizens for a Planned Greenbelt, and the Save Our Community Committee. He is presently serving as vice president of the Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club. Elected to the

Greenbelt city council in 1973 and 1975, he is seeking re-election for a third term. While on council, Tom serves on the Washington Metropolitan Water Resources Board. He is Chairman of the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments Health and Environmental

Protection Policy Committee and serves as chairman of the government operations subcommittee of the Prince Georges County Citizens for a Cleaner County. He also serves on the Environmental Quality Policy Committee of the National League of Cities.

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## An Incumbent Runs on His Record

During his six years on the Greenbelt City Council

## CHARLES F. SCHWAN

- **Supported** securing Federal and State grant money for parkland and open space acquisition, and for acquiring site for Springhill Lake Recreation Center.
  - **Supported** acquiring additional parkland and open space in parcels 1 and 2 (near GHI) and Smith-Ewing property (east of Parkway) to prevent high density development in these areas.
  - **Supported** use of (1) revenue-sharing funds for construction of Springhill Lake Recreation Center and for purchase of new city playground equipment, and (2) Community Development grants for improving playgrounds and streets.
  - **Supported** county tax relief for double-taxed city residents.
  - **Supported** tax relief for elderly and disabled low-income homeowners and renters. Also supported credits to the elderly and disabled for refuse collection.
  - **Supported** use of Federal and State financial aid programs to build housing for Greenbelt's older citizen's.
  - **Supported** construction of METRO subway line to a terminal station on Greenbelt Road near the B & O railroad tracks.
  - **Supported** financial disclosure law for city council members, candidates, and city manager.
  - **Supported** payment of adequate salaries for city employees and policemen.
  - **Supported** providing additional municipal office space, including expanded police facilities, from a Federal Public Works grant.
  - **Supported** system of bikeways to bring together various parts of the community.
  - **Supported** ordinances to protect the natural environment of the Lake Park.
- \* \* \* \*
- **Opposed** widening of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and opening it to truck traffic.
  - **Opposed** extension of Interstate Highway 95 beyond Beltway.
  - **Opposed** extension of Kenilworth Ave. as a 4-lane highway to Route 1.
  - **Opposed** development of the Golden Triangle (zoned commercial in 1965 despite city legal and political protests) without overall plan to prevent (1) strip development and (2) development before adequate public facilities — sewer, roads — are available.

## Re-elect Charles F. Schwan

For two decades an active participant in Greenbelt affairs, Schwan brings to City Council the experience and expertise of a lifetime career in intergovernmental relations.

VOTE SEPT. 20, 1977

Auth: Darwin Beck, Treas.



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**Whole Rib of Beef**

UNTRIMMED, CUT-TO-ORDER

35-LB. AVG.

lb. **1.09**

U.S.D.A. CHOICE BEEF

5" SMALL END

**Standing Rib Roast**

lb. 1.59

U.S.D.A. CHOICE BEEF

**Boneless Shldr. Roast**

lb. 1.29

WHOLE

**Smoked Picnics**

lb. 69¢

SAVE 10¢ WITH THIS COUPON  
IMPERIAL

**Margarine**

1-lb. qtrs.

**79¢**

CO-OP

Limit - One Per Family  
Effective Sept. 14-20, 1977

SAVE 15¢ ON 2 WITH THIS COUPON  
BIRDSEYE

**Awake**

(60608)

2 12-oz. cans

**95¢**

CO-OP

Limit - One Per Family  
Effective Sept. 14-20, 1977

SAVE 36¢ WITH THIS COUPON  
PILLSBURY HUNGRY JACK

**Mashed Potatoes**

2-lb. pkg.

**1.43**

CO-OP

Limit - One Per Family  
Effective Sept. 14-20, 1977

SAVE 20¢ WITH THIS COUPON  
HEFTY

**Trash Can Liners**

10-ct. pkg.

**1.13**

CO-OP

Effective Sept. 14-20, 1977  
Limit one per family

121 CENTERWAY

Open Daily 9-9, Sunday 10-6



# RICHARD CASTALDI

RE-ELECT **for** RE-ELECT

## COUNCIL



### "Unity Through Community Participation"

Richard has been a strong supporter of bikeways and parkland acquisition for the City. He has worked hard for developing and planning housing for senior citizens in the community. In order to more adequately address the ever increasing crime problem and deter the rate of increase within the city, Richard supports additional manpower allocations and the rescheduling of patrols to coincide with criminal activity. Recommended 6c reduction which was approved for 1977 City Tax Rate.

Richard is a lifetime resident of Greenbelt and has served his community by being responsive to citizen and community needs. He has over fifteen (15) years of Zoning and Planning experience and is an active member of the Council of Governments Transportation Planning Board and the Human Resources Policy Planning Board. He is presently attending the University of Maryland (Business Administration), elected outstanding young American in 1977 by the National Jaycees of America, and as a Councilman will continue to use good financial judgment in implementing programs of service for the City.

**Because we CARE about Greenbelt, and we want Greenbelt to continue to be a great community, and we know Richard Castaldi CARES about Greenbelt - we urge you to join us in voting for Richard Castaldi by pulling lever 7-A on Election Day**

Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Allen  
Mr. & Mrs. Fred Baluch  
Rick & Barb Barber  
Mary Barstow  
Mr. & Mrs. Henry Buese  
Rev. Kenneth Buker  
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Mr. & Mrs. Michael Burchick  
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Mr. & Mrs. Emilio Ciatto  
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Rhea Cohen  
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Comproni  
Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Cusick  
Mr. & Mrs. Eli Crupain  
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Lilian Gerstel  
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# VOTE 7A

## ON SEPTEMBER 20th